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IN THE SPECIFICATION:

(1) Please amend the paragraph from page 3, line 16 to page 3, line 25 as follows:

When selecting, for example, the "Point of Interest" method in Figure 1B, the navigation system displays selection methods of point of interest (POI) either by "Place Name" or "Place Type" in Figure 1C. The "Place Name" is to specify a name of POI, and the "Place Type" is to specify a category of POI. If the "Place Type" is selected in Figure 1C, the navigation system shows an "Select Category" screen such as shown in Figure 1D. The screen of Figure 1D lists categories of POI such as "ATM", ~~"Bank"~~ Bank, "Gas Station", "Hospital", "Movie Theater", and "Restaurant".

(2) Please insert the following paragraph at page 9, between line 28 and 29:

As is well known in the art, a point of interest (POI) database is created based on, for example, business directories and is comprised of a large number of place names and place types (categories and subcategories). The POI database can have broad categories, i.e., place types, such as "Bank", "Gas Station", "Hospital", "Movie Theater", "Restaurant", etc., where large number of place names belong to each category. The point of interest search allows the user to select a destination either by a place type or a place name. Thus, unlike the "Address" input method such as in

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Figures 8A, 9A, 10A, etc., the POI search does not need to input an address of a particular destination.

(3) Please amend the paragraph from page 14, line 4 to page 14, line 16 as follows:

With reference to Figures 7A and 7B, the ~~flow A~~ flow A is directed to the "entire street" search. The user first selects a "Street Name" menu on a "Select Search Criterion" screen 90 of Figure 7A. Then, the navigation system displays an "Input Street Name" screen 91 as shown in Figure 7B. This screen illustrates a keyboard through which the user inputs a name of the street by using alphabetical and numerical keys and other function keys on the keyboard. In this example, a street name, "CARSON ST" is entered by the user. If the user selects a "List" key on the "~~input~~ Input Street Name" screen 91, all POIs along the entire street will be displayed. In this case, the number of the POIs is "80" which is indicated as "MATCH: 80" on the screen 91.

(4) Please amend the paragraph from page 14, line 32 to page 15, line 4 as follows:

The flow C involving Figures 7A-7B and 7E-7G is directed to the "street between two cross streets". After entering the street name on the "Input ~~street~~ Street Name" screen 91 of Figure 7B, the user may want to limit the search range within a specific range between two intersections. In such a case, the user hits the "More" key in Figure 7B to move to a "Select

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Search Criterion" screen 94 of shown in Figure 7E where he selects a "Between Cross Streets" menu.

(5) Please amend the paragraph from page 15, line 5 to page 15, line 15 as follows:

The user enters a name of the first cross street, for example, "52nd ST" on an "Input first Cross St" "Input 1st Cross Street" screen 95 such as shown in Figure 7F. Then, the user enters a name of the second cross street "59th ST", for example, on an "Input Second Cross St" "Input 2nd Cross Street" screen 96 as shown in Figure 7G. If the user selects the "List" key on the keyboard, all the POIs along Carson Street between the 52nd Street and 59th Street will be displayed. In this example, the number of the POIs is 3 as illustrated by "MATCH: 3". In this process, since the range of search is significantly limited, the user can find out the preferred POI easily and accurately.

(6) Please amend the paragraph from page 15, line 16 to page 15, line 28 as follows:

Figures 8-15 show examples of processes and display screens in the present invention where the search-by-street method of the present invention is implemented during the POI search method in the navigation system. One of the Flows flows A, B and C is integrated in the POI search flows in these examples as a search-by-street block. It should be noted that the examples shown here do not represent all the

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cases in actual POI search flows. Rather, these examples are typical operational flows in the POI search method described here for an illustration purpose. In the examples of Figures 8-15, it is assumed a case where the user wants to find and go to a fast food restaurant "Macdonald" on Carson Street in a city of Torrance.

(7) Please amend the paragraph from page 23, line 17 to page 23, line 26 as follows:

Thus, both the street name "Carson Street" and the city name "Torrance" are specified in the foregoing process. Since the place type ~~ef~~ or place name is not specified, when the user hits the "List" key, the navigation system displays the "Point of Interest" screen of Figure 12D which lists "Select Place Type", "Input Place Name" and "List All Places" to prompt the user to select one of them. Since the street name and the city name are already defined in the flow B above, the screen of Figure 12D shows the city name "TORRANCE" and street name "CARSON ST".

(8) Please amend the paragraph from page 25, line 21 to page 25, line 29 as follows:

Since the place type ~~ef~~ or place name is not specified, when the user hits the "List" key, the navigation system displays the "Point of Interest" screen of Figure 13D which lists "Select Place Type", "Input Place Name" and "List All Places" to prompt the user to select one of them. Since the

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street name and two cross streets are already defined in the flow C above, the screen of Figure 13D shows the street name "CARSON ST" although the two cross streets are not shown in this example.

(9) Please amend the paragraph from page 27, line 13 to page 27, line 22 as follows:

Thus, both the street name "Carson Street" and the city name "Torrance" are specified in the foregoing process. Since the place type ~~ef~~ or place name is not specified, when the user hits the "List" key, the navigation system displays the "Point of Interest" screen of Figure 14D which lists "Select Place Type", "Input Place Name" and "List All Places" to prompt the user to select one of them. Since the street name and the city name are already defined in the flow B above, the screen of Figure 14D shows the city name "TORRANCE" and street name "CARSON ST".

(10) Please amend the paragraph from page 29, line 4 to page 29, line 12 as follows:

Since the place type ~~ef~~ or place name is not specified, when the user hits the "List" key, the navigation system displays the "Point of Interest" screen of Figure 15D which lists "Select Place Type", "Input Place Name" and "List All Places" to prompt the user to select one of them. Since the street name and two cross streets are already defined in the flow C above, the screen of Figure 15D shows the street name

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this example.